the Eau Claire Lumber Company, or elsewhere on said river, until such toll and charges are paid.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage

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CHAPTER 338.

AN ACT to provide for auditing the accounts of the several state charitable and penal institutions, and for disbursing the funds appropriated thereto.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

Moneys to remain in tressury.

SECTION 1. All moneys appropriated or that may be hereafter appropriated for the use, maintenance, support or expense of the state prison; the state hospital for the insane at Madison; the northern hospital for the insane at Oshkosh; the state institute for the blind at Janesville; the state institute for the education of the deaf and dumb at Delavan; and the state industrial school for boys at Waukesha, and all other state charitable and penal institutions that may now or hereafter exist or be created in this state, and all sums appropriated or that may be appropriated to any of the said institutions for any purpose, shall remain in the state treasury until drawn therefrom from time to time in the manner hereinafter specified.

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SECTION 2. On or before the twenty-fifth day of each calendar month, the board of directors, trustees or managers of each of said institutions, either as an entire board or through a committee of its members authorized by the by-laws of such board, to transact such business in the name of such board, shall prepare an estimate as nearly in detail as practicable, of the amount of money that will be required to pay the current expenses of the institution for each succeeding calendar month, and forward the same to the secretary of state, who shall draw his warrant on the state treasurer for the amount so estimated, and the state treasurer shall pay to each such institution, upon application of the treasurer thereof, the amount stated in such warrant: provided, that such amount shall not be paid out of the state treasury before the beginning of the calendar month

for which the estimates were made: and provided, further, that the provisions of this act shall not apply to special appropriations.

SECTION 3. All acts or parts of acts conflicting with Repealed.

the provisions of this act are hereby repealed.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 21, 1878.

[No. 518, A.]

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CHAPTER 339.

AN ACT to prevent judicial officers from bringing actions in their own courts on claims placed in their hands for collection.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. No person holding judicial office in this Shall not begin state, shall bring or cause to be brought, directly or indirectly, either by himself, his agent, or by any confederate, any action or proceeding in the court whereof he shall be the judge, justice or other presiding judicial officer, upon any claim or demand placed in the hands of such judge, justice or other presiding judicial officer, as agent or attorney, for collection.

SECTION 2. Any person violating the provisions of Penalty for viothe preceding section of this act shall be deemed lation.

guilty of misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than one hundred dollars, besides the cost of prosecution, and shall also be liable in a civil action to any person against whom he may bring, or cause to be brought, an action based on any such claim, to the full amount of all damages and cost, recovered in the action upon such claim.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved March 21, 1878.